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FOREWORD

Daylilies can be relied upon for a wealth of bloom and masses of color in practically all types of soil and weather without the fuss and bother of combating insects and disease. In mid-summer, when bloom from other perennials is scarce, daylilies are at their peak. During and after mid-summer vacation neglect, the bright starlike flowers of *hemerocallis* are always there and waiting to greet you. Most reliable of all flowers "The Flower of Character".

Eminent plant breeders have made rapid progress in the development and improvement of *Hemerocallis*. The flowers are as large and beautiful as those of the finest bulb lillies. Established plants of some varieties have flowering scapes (stalks) with as many as fifty buds which open and flower over a two to six week period. Daylilies are now available in a wide range of colors, color patterns, heights and flower shapes. A proper selection of varieties will furnish bloom spring to frost. All varieties have the quality of facing their flowers outward to the light or open when planted near walls, shrubbery, etc.

Daylily uses are many and varied. They are equally at home in the perennial border, rock garden, foreground of shrubbery or evergreen plantings, near pools and along the banks of small streams. They require very little attention and are easy to grow and transplant. Their charm and beauty in the garden is creating many new daylily enthusiasts annually. Try a few this year. They are permanent and will be a pleasure for years.

SUGGESTIONS

The quarterly News Letters and beautiful year-book issued by the *Hemerocallis* Society are worth more than the \$3.50 annual dues. Write Daisy L. Ferrick, Sec'y, The *Hemerocallis* Society, 416 Arter Ave., Topeka, Kansas.

Kodachrome Slide Collections of Daylilies, Roses, Iris, Flower Arrangements, etc., can be rented from Philip Corlis, Box 68, Somerton, Ariz. Daylily collections also from The *Hemerocallis* Society.

1955 INTRODUCTIONS

It is our privilege to introduce a few of many new originations under development by Dr. Chas. E. Branch of Piper City, Illinois.

BEAUTYKIST. (Dr. Branch). Lovely buff yellow with wide segments and profuse bloom. The 5 inch blossoms are faintly tinted cinnamon in a.m. but pure yellow effect in p.m. and at dusk. 34 inches. Fall delivery. \$5.00.

FANCYWORK. (Dr. Branch.) Medium sized, fragrant lemon yellow tinted green in the throat. The wide petals are beautifully ruffled and crimped and overlap the recurved sepals. 20 buds on 32 inch scapes. Midseason. \$8.00.

JET. (Dr. Branch.) The flame coloring of deep yellow blending into burnt orange in the petals combined with the ruffling and crimped edges of both petals and sepals gives a billowing volcanic effect. Ample branching and blooms on 32 inch scapes. Midseason. Fall delivery. \$10.00.

TRAIL BEAUTY. (Dr. Branch). 4½ inch flowers of pure orange with ruffled petals and recurved sepals. The sun resistant blossoms are open until after dark on well branched scapes. 33 inches. Midseason. \$5.00.

MARYBET. (Dill.) Large flowers of deep rose pink. Soft yellow throat. Flower opens wide and recurves at the tips of petals and sepals. Lighter edging gives added beauty. 3 ft. Midseason. Evergreen. \$5.00.

MODINA. (Dill.) This Hem combines several very good qualities. It starts to bloom between the early and the early midseason groups. The medium small flowers are pure light yellow, fragrant and remain open until 11 p.m. Segments are full wide open, not recurved. 33 inches. \$2.50.

SAINT LOUIS. (Dill.) The name was reserved for something outstanding which this variety is in flower pattern. A prominent wide chartreuse throat is banded by a six-scalloped narrow halo of dark purple. The outer portion of flower is a red-purple similar to the coloring of Potentate. The 4½ inch flowers are sun resistant, open until dark or later, profusely borne on branched 3 foot scapes. Deciduous. Midseason. Fall delivery. \$20.00.

SLOW POKE. (Dill.) Always late—August bloomer here. Medium sized, dandelion yellow, fragrant. Good bloomer, when established. 25 or more buds on rather low scapes 30 inches high, which are top and side branched. Deciduous. Fall delivery. \$3.00.



HEMEROCALLIS

Our listing groups the various varieties in accordance with their blooming periods. Group No. 1 lists those that bloom first in Spring. Group No. 2 those that are starting to bloom as the first group finishes, etc. Blooming periods will vary to some extent under different conditions of sun, shade and moisture. Our manner of listing, should enable our customers to conveniently select varieties to obtain continuous bloom.



GROUPS 1 and 2 combined.
MAY and MAY-JUNE here.

BLANCHE HOOKER. (Stout.) This early red blooms again in Fall under favorable conditions. The brick red color is brightened by the orange-yellow throat. 3 ft. \$2.00.

CAPRICE. (Stout.) Light brown red with throat and edge of sepals cadmium. Small flowered, dainty and attractive. 2 ft. \$1.00.

FLAVINA. (Fewkes.) A charming bright lemon yellow blooming with the late Iris. An improvement over the old Flava or lemon lily. 2 ft. \$1.00.

JUDGE ORR. (Orr.) Beautiful and blooms with the Iris. Soft orange yellow. 2½ ft. \$1.00.

WINSOME. Wide open light yellow 3½ inch fragrant flowers. Profuse bloom for 5 weeks when established. 3 ft. \$1.00.

GROUP 3 (June here)

ANNETTE. (Russell.) Large 5 to 6 inch dark mahogany red flowers that make a beautiful show. In general a low grower. Under favorable conditions may reach a height of 2 ft. \$2.00.

BARONET. (Stout.) Chrysanthemum red or crimson-orange with a deep chrome yellow throat. Often blooms again in Fall. Attractive foreground variety, remains open evenings. 2 ft. \$.75.

FIRECRACKER. (Kraus.) Tallest of the June blooming reds here. Pompeian Red with darker area around the throat. 34 inches. \$1.00.

JILL. (Watkins.) A dwarf with 3 inch cherry red flowers. Small yellow throat. Fine for edging or rock garden use. Deciduous and hardy. 1 ft. \$1.00.

LITTLE CHERUB. (Claar.) A gem for the rockery or front of the border. Beautiful clear yellow flowers, full and well shaped with overlapping segments. 15 inches. \$3.00.

MING TOY. (Wheeler.) A very popular dwarf. Bright red 4 inch flowers with apricot yellow throat. 16 inches. Evergreen. \$2.00.

MODESTY. (Betscher.) Medium sized pale yellow. When established, is in bloom May 25th to June 25th here in St. Louis. If you grow Modesty until it is established you will keep it always. 3 ft. \$1.00.

PRIMULA. (Kraus.) The large pale yellow flowers are fragrant and exceptionally beautiful. Top branching. 2½ ft. Reblooms in September here. \$3.00.

PSYCHE. (Wheeler.) Large light yellow flowers with faint darker dusting in midsection. The long wide creped and frilled segments recurve as do the falls of an iris. Evergreen. 3½ ft. \$3.00.

SANTA MARIA. (Russell.) Ground color near old rose, yellow-green throat. Large flowers. Evergreen. 2½ ft. 75c.

SPRING FANTASY. (Lester.) Large flowered clear bicolor. Lilac petals, light yellow sepals. Fragrant. 2½ ft. \$5.00.

TARUGA. (Stout.) Very large 6 to 7 inch fragrant lemon yellow with faint cinnamon dusting around the throat. 2½ ft. Evergreen. \$1.50.

TAJ MAHAL. (Russell.) Semi-dwarf in height but striking in appearance with 4½ inch golden yellow flowers enhanced by a red-purple prominent eyezone. 27 inches. 75c.

THE RANGER. (Russell.) Low growing, early variety. 4 inch flowers of garnet red, golden throat. Fragrant. 2 ft. 75c.

WOODROSE. (Kraus.) 5 inch lacquer red flowers with wide open wavy petals. Throat is a deep yellow star encircled by dark garnet red halo. Reblooms in Sept. here. 2 ft. Fall del'y. \$3.00.

GROUP 4 (June-July here)

BLACK HILLS. (Russell.) A diffusion of black blending with ruby red. Good branching. 3 ft. 75c.

BROWNEYED SUSAN. (Eleanor Hill.) Soft light yellow with a neat arching red-brown halo on petals. 2½ ft. 75c.

BRUNO. (Kraus.) Wide petaled reddish-chocolate. Very dark mid-zone sets off the bright orange throat. 3 ft. Fall delivery. \$3.00.

CABALLERO. (Stout.) An outstanding gay bi-color. Petals antique ruby, sepals and throat light chrome yellow. Fragrant and very showy. 3½ ft. \$1.00.

CONSTANCE. (Hill 1948.) Color of the large 6 inch flowers is near Henna and Indian Red. Has the reputation of throwing new scapes and blooming for several months. 3 ft. \$2.00.

DOROTHEA. (Lester.) Large flowers in an unusual blending of soft colors. Wide buff-pink petals, light yellow sepals. Heliotrope shading surrounds a chartreuse throat. Fragrant. 2½ ft. \$2.00.

GALLAHAD. (Lester.) 5 inch flowers with over-lapping petals. Rich dark garnet red. Remains open well into the night. 4 ft. \$2.50.

GAY TROUBADOUR. (Nesmith.) Petals bright Indian red in stunning contrast to the frosty maize yellow sepals. Large 5 inch flowers. 3 ft. \$1.00.

GOLDEN WEST. (Sass.) Tall growing, large flowered yellow. Sturdy well branched scapes. Heavy textured flowers. An all around fine day-lily. 4 ft. \$1.00.

HOMEWORTH. (Dill 1952.) The only fragrant Purple that we know of. Green throat. Petal tips creped and curl back. Sepals wide open. Worthwhile around the home as the name implies. 20 buds on scapes below average height. 2½ ft. \$2.00.

MARIONETTE. (Lester.) Buttercup yellow, velvet finish, prominent mahogany band around the throat of the 5 inch fragrant blossoms. The sun resistant flowers are open evenings on well branched 3 ft. scapes. \$3.00.

MARY GUENTHER. (Russell.) Egyptian red petals and cadmium yellow sepals. A gypsy colored must-have. Large flowers, well branched stems. Good in foreground. 2½ ft. \$1.00.

MISSION BELLS. (Hall.) One of the finer lemon yellows. A profusion of 5½ inch flowers with wide petals, edged ruffled. 3½ ft. \$3.00.

MRS. HUGH JOHNSON. (Russell.) The throat of this beauty forms a greenish yellow star within the ruby red 4½ inch flowers with wide segments. Profuse bloom on branched 2½ foot scapes. \$2.00.

MYNA. (Dill 1954.) The small flowers are an attractive soft shade of light red with a white wire edge on sepals and a lime yellow throat. Fragrant and excellent sun resistance. 3½ ft. \$3.00.

ONEITA. (Davis.) The 5 inch flowers are a pretty shade of red known as rosevale. Blooms in June here and again in Sept., when established. Evergreen. 2½ ft. \$2.00.

PAINTED LADY. (Russell.) Large ruffled flowers spreading up to 8 inches when well grown. Yellow with a cinnamon overlay. 3 ft. \$3.00.

PORT. (Stout.) A profusion of small but full orange-red flowers on well branched scapes. Low grower for foreground use. Remains open evenings. 27 inches. \$1.00.

PURPLE EMPEROR. (Russell.) Rich red-purple, enhanced by cream midrib in petals, green throat. 3 ft. \$1.00.

PUTNAM. (Richards.) A large sun resistant golden yellow self that is fragrant and has broad pinched petals. Extra fine and reblooms starting in August. 3½ ft. Fall delivery. \$7.00.

REGAL LADY. (Nesmith.) Wide rose colored petals, cream sepals brushed rose. The sun-fast flowers that are open evenings are borne on 3½ ft. well branched scapes that carry more than 50 buds. New scapes follow. \$1.50.

REVOLUTE. (Sass.) Graceful, lovely 5 inch lemon yellow with cool green throat. Strongly recurved wavy edged petals. Tips of sepals recurve. 3 ft. \$3.00.

RUSTIC BELL. (Dill 1952.) 6 inch algerian red flowers that are darker around a deep yellow throat. Excellent substance and sun resistance and remains open until dark. Petals 1½ and sepals 1 inch wide. 45 buds on 3½ ft. scapes with 2 top and 4 side branches. \$2.00.

SHOW GIRL. (Wheeler.) Beauty in a blend of orchid pink and cream. Has wide segments with crimped edges, sun resistant, remains open evenings, heavy bloomer on strong well branched scapes. Throws new bloom scapes and blooms mid-June to late August here when established in good soil. Semi-deciduous. 3 ft. \$4.00.

SU LIN. (Nesmith.) Chinese for "A little bit of something precious." A lovely bicolor of pale lilac and creamy yellow. Need afternoon shade. 3 ft. \$1.00.

TALISMAN. (Nesmith.) Large 6 inch salmon pink with wide segments and chartreuse throat. 3½ ft. \$2.00.

GROUP 5 (July here)

ATHLONE. (Russell.) A 6 inch bitone of outstanding beauty. The tips of the long segments are strongly recurved. Petals are cinnamon pink, slightly darker as if brushed on at eyezone. Wide throat and sepals of pale yellow. 2½ ft. \$2.00.

AURORA. (Wheeler.) Soft rose pink self except the throat which is chartreuse. Evergreen. 3 ft. \$3.00.

BEN HUR. (Richards.) Widespread velvety garnet, heavy substance, fadeless and weather resistant. Blackish shading around the deep golden throat. 3½ ft. Fall delivery. \$3.00.

BERWYN. (Traub & Cooley.) Bright carmine, yellow throat. The 4 inch sparkling flowers have slightly narrow segments. 3 ft. 75c.

BOMBAST. (Fass.) Light golden brown with a strong yellow midrib and shading to cadmium orange at the edges. Cuban red eye zone. 3 ft. \$2.00.

BOUNTIFUL. (Cook.) Discontinued Hyperion and Mrs. Bonner in favor of this wide petalled lemon yellow with fragrant 5 inch flowers that are sun-fast. 2½ ft. \$1.00.

BROCADE. (Taylor.) The body of the large smooth textured flowers is amber rose with darker veining and eyezone accenting the wide golden glow yellow throat. Well branched, floriferous and stays open evenings. Evergreen. 3½ ft. \$3.00.

CANARI. (Nesmith.) Large open flowers of pale canary yellow with a satin finish. Evening bloomer. 3 ft. \$1.00.

CHINGHAI. (Dill 1951.) 5½ inch flowers of Topaz or antique gold. Fine clump effect makes it valuable for landscaping. 40 buds. 3 ft. \$1.00.

CHLOE. (Nesmith.) Large yellow, fully rounded, wide petalled flowers, dotted, flecked and veined with red-brown or cinnamon. 2½ ft. \$1.50.

CRIMSON PIRATE. (Sass.) Low growing cardinal red with orange-yellow throat. The 27 inch scapes are top and side branched with 50 or more buds when established. \$3.00.

DAWN PLAY. (Nesmith.) A beautiful shade of light rose red. 5½ inch flowers, elegant form. Blooms a month. 4 ft. \$1.00.

DEVON CREAM. (Nesmith.) Fragrant 6 inch creamy yellow. Petals 1¾ inches wide, fluted edges. Sepals over 1 inch wide, wavy. Excellent substance. 3 ft. \$3.00.

DISPLAY. (Hall.) A profusion of delightful pure red medium sized flowers that are a real eye treat. A must-have. 36 inches. \$3.00.

EASTER MORN. (Wheeler.) The bronze yellow petals are very wide and almost circular in shape and have a ⅓ inch wide border of Ta Ming yellow, which is the sepal color. 4½ inch flowers. 3 ft. \$3.00.

EMPIRE ROSE. (Kraus.) The color is "Rose of Sharon" which is somewhat darker than Tango pink. The 5 inch flowers open flat and are borne in abundance on 33 inch scaps. Yellow throat with a green cast. Fall delivery. \$12.50.

EVELYN CLAR. (Kraus.) This wide petaled salmon pink with silky finish and golden yellow throat is tremendously popular and in great demand. Blue-green foliage, deciduous, vigorous and hardy. Bloom scapes only 2½ ft. tall. \$10.00.

FIFFI. (Dill 1953). A clean bicolor with monterey red petals and cadmium yellow sepals and throat. Abundance of bloom on well branched scapes 2½ ft. tall. Has a "Character all its own." \$7.50.

FLAMBEAU. (Kraus.) The bittersweet red extends way down into the throat which is a tiny spot of green. 30 buds on 34 inch scapes. \$3.00.

GEORGIA. (Stout.) Full, wide spreading, 6 inch flowers of pale buff shaded and tinted with pink. Petals have darker veining but no halo. 3½ ft. Semi-evergreen. \$2.00.

HESPERUS. (Sass.) Magnificent 7 inch flowers of empire yellow (Plate 9-K-3). Plant is tall and well branched. 4 ft. \$1.00.

HOME GIRL. (Dill 1954). 5 inch, pale yellow (Plate 9-K-1) blossoms with wide segments. A tint of green in the throat adds to the beauty of the fragrant blooms. 3½ foot scapes are top and side branched. Deciduous. \$5.00.

HONEY REDHEAD. (Nesmith.) Flaring flowers of velvety nasturtium red with a border of creamy yellow. Chrome throat. Petals and sepals recurved. 3 ft. \$1.00.

JOANNA HUTCHINS. (Kraus.) Large flowers of sunkiss orange. Excellent all around performance. Evergreen. 3 ft. \$2.50.

JUANITA. (Fass.) If you want something extra fine in fragrance, foliage and profusion of bloom try this finest of dark maroons. 34 inches. \$3.00.

LADY FAIR. (Nesmith.) The large flowers have a glistening sheen and are entrancing in a blend of Jasper and flesh pink with a creamy undertone. 38 inches. \$4.00.

LOVE LETTERS. (Russell.) This lovely small flowered daylily with pink effect and green throat takes our hot dry July weather in stride. Petal edges ruffled. Evergreen. 30 inches. \$1.50.

MABEL FULLER. (Kraus.) Reflexed, velvety 6 inch flowers of glowing cardinal red. Finest all around red for the north. 3 ft. \$3.00.

MAIDA. (Dill 1954). Although the bloom size is medium, only 4 inches, the Indian Red petals are 1½ inches wide. Sepals are a shade lighter and 1 inch wide. Wax yellow throat. Deciduous. 33 inches. Men like this one. \$3.00.

MARTHA WASHINGTON. (Wheeler.) Near old rose coloring. A hemerocallis that is different. The very wide segments are strongly recurved causing the medium sized flowers to appear small. The flowers have durability without heavy substance which is unusual. 3 ft. Evergreen. \$3.00.

MINNIE. (Hayward.) Medium sized flowers of lustrous velvety Arabian Red with darker veining and blackish red halo, illuminated by a glowing golden orange throat. Wide petals and sharply recurved sepals produce beautiful flower form. Excellent substance, stands sun and is open evenings. 3½ ft. \$1.00.

MONONA. (Kraus.) Fragrant large orange or Cadmium yellow 6 inch flowers. Excellent branching and more than 30 buds although scape height is only 2 ft. \$2.00.

MOONRAY. (Nesmith) Try this fascinating pale yellow with clear neat Pompeian Red semi-halo and flaring wavy petals. Use in foreground. Evening bloomer. 2½ ft. \$1.00.

NARANJA. (Wheeler.) A solid golden orange with ruffled irregularly recurved wide petals. The 6 inch sunfast flowers remain open after dark. Evergreen. \$3.00.

ORANGE BEAUTY. (Sass.) Large 5½ inch smooth flowers of pure orange. Broad segments and fine fragrance. 34 buds on 40 inch scapes. Heads the list in demand for orange. \$3.00.

PAMELA. (Kraus.) Tough leathery 4½ inch flowers of golden glow yellow. 40 or more flowers on 3½ ft. scapes. Sunfast and open evenings. \$2.00.

PERSIAN PRINCESS. (Nesmith.) Deep velvety Arabian red petals flushed purple. Sepals a shade lighter, but with same color effect. Beautiful and impressive. 3½ ft. \$1.00.

PIQUANTE. (Nesmith.) An unusual and charming self. The color effect is raspberry pink. Something different. 40 inches. \$3.00.

POTENTATE. (Nesmith.) This full flowered variety, described as pansy purple, is a shade darker than mauvérose in color. It is one color, including stamens and pistil, except far down in the throat. Brightness is due to a glowing, satiny sheen. 3 ft. \$3.00.

PRAIRIE BOY. (Sass.) A wide petalled beauty. Very showy. The color is between buff and orange. 3½ ft. \$2.00.

QUEEN ESTHER. (H. P. Sass.) 5 inch flowers near Pompeian Red. A self excepting a small deep yellow throat. Sunfast and open evenings. More than 50 buds on fine branched 3 ft. scapes. A very fine daylily. \$3.00.

RINGLETS. (Kraus.) The small golden glow yellow flowers have wide creped and recurved segments and are borne profusely on scapes with 3 top and 3 side branches. A wonderful daylily. 3 ft. \$5.00.

ROSARIO. (Kraus.) Although it has a rather prominent deep rose halo, this daylily rates right near the top in the pink class. General color is near true pink. Throat deep yellow with a tint of green at bottom. About 40 buds on scapes with excellent branching. 3½ ft. Fall delivery. \$10.00.

ROYAL RUBY. (Nesmith.) Medium sized flowers of intense glowing, almost crimson, red with just a trace of yellow in the throat. Real class in color, form and finish. 2½ ft. \$1.00.

RUBY SUPREME. (Wheeler.) Large wide petalled flower of antique ruby. Sepals a shade lighter, greenish gold throat. Narrow gold line extends through petals. Semi-evergreen. 3 ft. \$1.00.

RUSSELL MINUET. (Russell.) Petals are near "Attar of Roses" color with green tinted yellow sepals. Midrib of petals and throat yellow-green. Flowers have good substance. Open evenings. Use in foreground. 2 ft. 75c.

SCORCHER. (Russell.) A flaming blend of deep gold and Arabian red. Stands drouth. The 4½ inch blooms are open evenings. 3½ ft. Semi-evergreen. \$1.00.

SHOOTING STAR. (Hall.) This Hem is a contender for top honors in the class approaching white. Large flowers with broad segments of very pale yellow. 38 inches. Fall delivery. \$12.50.

SUSAN. (Russell.) Large 6 inch flowers. Rufled red petals with yellow markings. Yellow sepals, edged red. Large star shaped greenish throat. Very showy. 30 buds on good branching. 3½ ft. 75c.

SWEETBRIAR. (Nesmith.) Bright, well formed large flowers of rosy pink. Soft yellow throat. Vigorous and hardy. 3 ft. \$1.00.

TINY TIM. (Emigholz.) A gem for your rock garden growing only 15 inches high. The originator describes color as medium red but it's pink here in our hot sun. Center of the 3½ inch flowers is a yellow star with a green throat. \$3.00.

VALIANT. (Cook.) Massive glowing flowers of clear orange. Heavy textured wide petals and sepals that are crimped. 3 ft. \$3.00.

VESPERS. (Nesmith.) Beautiful and distinctive flowers of very pale cream. Flowers open in late afternoon, but have very heavy substance and remain fresh the following day. Throws a second set of bloom stalks when established. 39 inches. \$1.50.

YELLOWSTONE. (Kraus.) Large flowered light yellow, creped and ruffled and very fragrant. Sure to please. 36 inches. \$2.50.

GROUP 6 (July-August here)

APRICOT QUEEN. (Sass Bros.) The deep chrome petals are shaded with pink and are wavy and recurved. The golden-corn sepals recurve sharply. All accentuated by a pale green throat. The 5 inch flowers are sunfast, and open evenings. 42 buds. 3 ft. Fall delivery. \$3.00.

AUGUST ORANGE. (Stout.) 4 inch flowers of rich orange or deep chrome. Profuse bloom on well branched. 3 ft. scapes. \$1.00.

BAGGETTE. (Russell.) A beautiful pattern in pastel colors. Sepals, throat and inner half of petals are chrome-lemon, outer half of petals light hyacinth red. A delicate exquisite bicolor. This wide petalled rosy-cheeked beauty is a late bloomer. Use in foreground. 2½ ft. \$2.00.

ERIC JUNIOR. (Kraus.) Semi-dwarf in height but the well branched scapes bear many small red flowers with blackish shading on petals around a deep yellow throat. \$2.00.

FAR NORTH. (Nesmith.) Late blooming lemon yellow. 5 inch heavy subtended flowers are borne profusely on 4 ft. sturdy well branched scapes. \$2.00.

FELICE. (Kraus.) Very large, non-fading pale cadmium yellow. Petal margins waved. Gracefully reflexed. Strong grower. 3½ ft. Fall delivery. \$2.50.

FLAMES. (Kraus.) Flame scarlet or fire crack-er red. 5 inch flowers on 3 ft. scapes. Wide open and very pretty. \$2.00.

JEAN. (McDade.) One of the finest bicolors. Large 6 inch flowers with roundly recurved segments. Petals are burnt sienna with a golden-glow yellow midrib which is the throat and sepal coloring. Sun resistant, open evenings and in bloom 6 weeks or longer when established. 3½ ft. \$1.00.

MORPHEUS. (Sass-Stump.) The lemon yellow 6 inch flowers are glowing, glossy, ruffled, recurved, sunfast, fragrant and open evenings. A must-have. More than 30 buds on 4 foot scapes. \$3.00.

MRS. CHARLES WALGREEN. (Kraus.) 5 inch flowers of appealing salmon rose and yellow throat. 25 or more buds on well branched 2½ ft. scapes. Fall delivery. \$8.00.

PINK CHARM. (Nesmith.) Beautiful open flower with very recurving petals and sepals of soft Ocher red giving the effect of a deeply colored coral pink lily. The center of the flower shows a star of light cadmium in pleasing contrast to the pink stamens. 3½ ft. \$1.00.

POWDER PUFF. (Lester.) 5 inch pastel yellow with a slight tint of pink. By afternoon the hue is that of flesh-colored face powder. Cool green throat. Fall delivery. \$7.00.

RED HUSSAR. (Nesmith.) Wide open 5 inch flowers of Totem red with narrow segments and a star yellow throat. 60 buds give a long bloom season. 40 inches. \$1.00.

WHORL O' GOLD. (Fass.) Originator claims broad petaled brilliant saffron yellow flowers open wide, have fine substance, are sun resistant and non-fading. 34 inches. Fall delivery. \$10.00.

GROUP 7 (August & Aug. - Sept. here)

AUGUST JOY. (Dill 1954). Medium sized apricot yellow with glistening silky finish. Throws new scapes until frost. Fragrant. 3½ ft. \$2.00.

AUTUMN DAFFODIL. (Kraus.) Clear light yellow 3 inch flowers. More than 35 flowers on each fine branched 40 inch scape. \$3.00.

AUTUMN PRINCE. (Stout.) Small clear yellow flowers in profusion over a long period. 3 ft. \$1.00.

FAREWELL. (McDade.) Forsythia yellow petals, cadmium yellow gold-specked sepals. Well branched scapes bear many flowers. Pink halo. 2½ ft. \$3.00.

SILVERY ROSE. (Sass.) Coral pink 4 inch flowers with a triangular yellow center tinted green. It is generous with the low growing 2½ foot top branched scapes. It is a strong competitor for the truest pink being a shade lighter than water melon pink and has slightly darker brushing on petals. \$5.00.

SUSAN TREADWELL. (Sass.) Large 6 inch very fragrant flowers of empire yellow. Glistening sheen, sunfast and open evenings. Deciduous. 3½ ft. \$4.00.

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HARDINESS LINE: On a U. S. Map draw a line from the Northwest tip of the State of Oklahoma to Cleveland, Ohio and from Cleveland to Boston, Mass. Some varieties, usually with evergreen foliage, suffer injury and sometimes winter kill North of this line.

EVERGREEN refers to the foliage of varieties that remain evergreen throughout the winter in the far South. This class is less hardy North. North of the "Hardiness Line" they require good drainage Spring planting and winter mulching.

SPRING OR SUMMER TRANSPLANTING is recommended in localities North of the "Hardiness Line".

FIRST YEAR RESULTS: Early blooming varieties planted in Spring may fail to bloom until the following Spring. Do not judge any variety the first year as the performance with respect to flower size, color, plant height and branching are all below par.

PLANT DAYLILIES with bleached line on foliage at ground level, or with root crown approximately 1½ inches below surface.

MULCHING: A first winter mulch is desirable. The purpose is to protect the crown and the top soil a few inches around it from winter and early Spring thawing. Do not use soggy material. A nest of excelsior is good.

GUARANTEE: We use care to keep our plants true to name and are willing to replace, on proper proof, any found to be otherwise, but it is mutually agreed that in no case shall we be liable for more than the original cost.

MAIL ORDERS: On orders under \$3.00 please add 25c for packing and shipping. Missouri customers include sales tax.

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